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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of SEARLE, Andrew Robin and
HILL, Geoffrey Keith

Serial No.: Filed herewith based on:

International Application No. PCT/GB98/03882

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For: SECURITY SYSTEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

Sir:

This is a First submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.

A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th Month from the earliest claimed priority date.

Applicants herewith submit to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith and has been transmitted by the International Bureau. Also, submitted is a copy of the International Search Report, and the Preliminary Examination Report.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney of the inventors (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)) without signatures.

A first preliminary amendment.

The fees have been calculated as shown below:

Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.49(a)(1)-(5)):

Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO

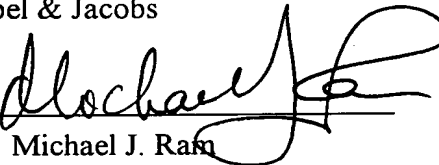
\$840.00

Surcharge of \$130.00 for finishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date		\$130.00
Total Claims (61-20) x \$18 =		\$738.00
Independent Claims (14 -3) x \$78 =		<u>\$858.00</u>
Total of above calculations =		\$2,560.00

Our check No. 15102 for \$2,560.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed. We authorize the Commissioner to charge (1) payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR §1.17 associated with this communication, or (3) payment of any fees that occur during the pendency of this application (and to credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 11-1580. We enclose a duplicate copy of this sheet.

Respectfully submitted,
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